

THE WEATHER

Washington, Oct. 16.—Fair tonight and probably Thursday; slightly warmer tonight.

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Derailing Cycles in Panic Over the President's Reply: Fighting in City Streets of Austria; Czecho-Slovaks Revolt

DEATH THREATS IN MANY LETTERS TO BOARD NO. 3

Members Ask U. S. Attorney to Act and Accuse Politicians B L A M E D

Say Attacks Due to Induction of Ward Healers and Criminals in Service

Letters threatening death to members of Local Draft Board No. 3 because a number of small fry politicians and petty criminals were induced into the army, have become so numerous that they have been turned over to the Federal authorities for investigation.

Dr. John Remig, medical officer of the board, also charges that the police of the Second and Chestnut streets divisions, where the board has its headquarters, have cooperated with these political followers to hamper operation of the selective service law in that district.

Dr. Remig also called attention to the fact that board No. 3 recently received a letter from Congressman Vane asking reconsideration of the case of Raffael Camilli, now at Camp Greendale, who was indicted on the charge of conspiring to induce a soldier to desert.

Besides Dr. Remig, the men threatened with internment by the forces of the underworld are Augustus W. Murphy, chairman of the board, and Eugene McCarron.

A veritable bombardment of threatening letters followed the induction of certain questionable characters, according to Dr. Remig. Almost without exception they referred significantly to the fate of Acting Detective George Egan, slain by a Frog Hollow gunman in the Fifth Ward primary riots. The letters have been placed in the hands of T. Henry Walnut, Assistant United States Attorney.

Referring to alleged police interference, Doctor Remig said:

"We have been told to show that the patrolmen, given draft notices to deliver to registrants, turned them over to Vane division leaders, who, in turn, notified the registrants," said Doctor Remig.

Mills Was Surprised

"Mr. Murphy and I went to Assistant District Attorney Walnut and complained. He furnished us with a letter to Captain Mills and the latter appeared greatly surprised when we told of the action of the police.

"Captain Mills then and there wanted to have the offending patrolmen brought before the police board for trial. However, this would have been of no avail, as these men were only serving the higher-ups."

"Then there have been many other ways in which the police have shown that they were unwilling to co-operate with us. We are offered inadequate protection at all times. There is never any effort of the police to maintain order when we are examining groups of registrants. In fact, matters have developed to a point where we are in actual fear."

According to the members of Local Board No. 3, their trouble started when they removed Raffael Camilli, a draft eligible, living at 409 South Seventh street, from Class 4-A and induced him into the service. Camilli was recently indicted by the special Federal Grand Jury probing here for a conspiracy to obstruct the draft.

The change in classification made by the board, according to Doctor Remig, followed the presentation of facts showing that Camilli never supported his wife and three children. An agent of the Pennsylvania Society, to protect children from cruelty placed under the reports in the hands of the board, showing these facts and that he beat his wife.

The case was appealed to District Board No. 1, which sustained the action of the local board after reviewing the facts. Camilli was ordered to camp September 5, but the draft officials charge that he did not leave there. However, the following day they took measures for his entrapment to Camp Greendale.

Some time afterward the board received some papers from Harrisburg pertaining to Camilli. Among them, it is alleged, was a letter, one from Herbert W. Balus, demanding reclassification of Camilli, and another from Mrs. Camilli, saying that she was willing to testify that her husband did support her.

Recently a letter from Congressman Vane reached draft officials, asking for a reconsideration in the case of Camilli. But other restrictions under the jurisdiction of Local Board No. 3.

SAY HE SLURRED SERVICE MAN

Crowd Attacks Lawyer for Alleged Discourteous Remark

A statement that "all sailors, marines and soldiers are bums," alleged to have been made by Paul Winthrop, an attorney in the Broad Building, nearly precipitated a riot at a hearing before Magistrate Baker at the Fourth street and Snyder avenue station today.

The Day's Honor Roll for the City and Its Vicinity

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DIED OF WOUNDS

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